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## FORMALITIES LETTER



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing 710  
Applicant must submit \$ ~~690~~ to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$ ~~1698~~ 1724
  - \$684 for 38 total claims over 20.
  - 1040 ~~\$1044~~ for 13 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

- The balance due by applicant is \$ ~~2548~~ 2564

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Due Date: <u>1-3-01</u>
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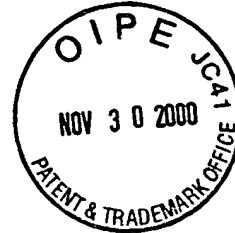
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Applicant : John L. Farmer et al.  
Serial No. : 09/670,761  
Filed : September 27, 2000  
Title : AUTOMATED PARAGRAPH LAYOUT

Art Unit : 2122  
Examiner : Unknown



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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Correspondence relating to this application is enclosed.

1. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (2 sheets);
2. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts (2 sheets);
3. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for John L. Farmer (3 sheets);
4. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Matthew A. Wormley (3 sheets);
5. Check in the amount of \$2,564 (basic filing fee: \$710; additional claims fee: \$1,724; and surcharge for late filing of Declaration: \$130); and
6. Post card.

Please apply any charges not covered, or any credits, to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: 11/22/00

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application under 37 CFR §1.53(b) mailed November 3, 2000 (copy enclosed), Applicants as a large entity submit herewith the following:

- ☒ Payment of the basic filing fee of \$710;
- ☒ Payment of the additional/multiple dependent claims fees of \$1,724;
- ☒ Check in payment of \$130 surcharge for filing the basic filing fee and/or declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application;
- ☒ Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for John L. Farmer in compliance with 37 CFR §1.63; and
- ☒ Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Matthew A. Wormley in compliance with 37 CFR §1.63.

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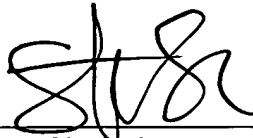
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It is understood that this perfects the application and no additional papers or filing fees are required. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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